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NEW GOODS

Every train brings new goods direct from the best manufactures in the country. It will pay you to keep in touch with the Dallas Furniture Co. in order to get some of the good things that are being offered at such little prices.

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MOVING PICTURES AT RINK

Young Women's Skating Club Entertains Guests at Pleasant Social Session.

The "Jolly Seven," the newly organized young women's skating club, gave its first skating party at the Colosseum rink Thursday night, about 60 couples being present as invited guests. The club members, arrayed in their white uniforms with black caps and scarfs, conducted the session with admirable skill, and took pains to see that each guest was entertained in the best possible manner.

At 8:30 o'clock the floor was cleared, and M. C. Mott, of Salem, gave the first of the series of moving picture shows which has been secured for the rink. This being finished, the skaters once more thronged onto the floor, and the session was continued until about 11 o'clock.

The members of the new club are: Misses Ima and Ethel Johnson, Edna and Nada Scott, Francis Byers, Alta Savage and Allie Fuller. Miss Fuller, who is one of the most skillful lady skaters in this city, acted as floor manager.

I. O. O. F. LODGE AT MONMOUTH

New Organization Will Be Known as Normal Lodge, No. 204.

Under the direction of Deputy Grand Master C. L. Hawley, of McCoy, a new lodge of the Odd Fellows' order was instituted in Monmouth, Saturday afternoon and evening, under the name of "Normal Lodge, No. 204." Delegations from the lodges of Independence, Salem and Dallas were present on that occasion, the program being carried out jointly by the Salem and Independence lodges.

Fifteen candidates were initiated Saturday evening. The elective officers of the new lodge are as follows: Ira Powell, Noble Grand; Charles H. Newman, Vice-Grand; P. E. Chase, Secretary and Joseph Radek, Treasurer.

Those from the Dallas lodge who were present at the initiatory rites Saturday evening, going over to Monmouth by the motor and returning to this city on the following day, were: E. M. Smith, R. R. Hill, Fonso Manston, H. Ruddleck, George Richmond, C. G. Coad, F. B. Rich, and Horatio Morrison. The exercises were held in the rooms of the Woodman Hall.

Mrs. M. F. Hull, of Salem, is preparing to open an up to date millinery store in the room next door to Faul's Hardware store on Main street.

DALLAS DEFEATS CORVALLIS

College Basketball Team Wins Championship of Southern Division of State League.

The championship of Dallas College in the South Division of the Oregon Basketball League was indisputably established Friday night, when the husky supporters of the "Winged D" defeated the O. A. C. team, the only possible rival in the field, by the decisive score of 34 to 11 in a speedy game played upon the opponents' own court.

Never before was the loyalty of the people of Dallas for their basketball team more conclusively shown than on last Friday afternoon, when a throng of 130 persons crowded on the special train that had been chartered, accompanied the home five to Corvallis, and heartily supported them throughout the exciting five hours' stay in that city. Several friends were picked up at Monmouth and Independence, and yet others were found to be already in Corvallis when the big Dallas delegation arrived in that city, so that the entire number of the supporters of Dallas' basketball prestige amounted to 200 persons at the least.

Spectators began to swarm into the O. A. C. armory as early as 7 o'clock, and by the time the game was called, at 8:45, every seat was filled and standing room was at a premium, and the galleries fairly creaked under the weight of the stamping, shouting mass of humanity that crowded them to overflowing.

Dallas started the game with a rush and gained a good lead within the first five minutes of the play, adding to it steadily point by point up to the very last minute of the game. They were in perfect form, and the value of their hard and careful training during the previous two weeks showed in the swift and unerring precision of their passing and guarding. During the game a spectator was heard to say "No matter where the ball goes, there seems to be always a red man in front of it" and these few words sum up briefly the whole history of that exciting contest.

Corvallis played hard and well during the first half, but shortly after the beginning of the second half the whole team seemed literally to go to pieces. Their team work went to the winds, and their play resolved itself into a series of reckless and sensational tries for goals. Individually, each member of the Corvallis aggregation played a beautiful game, but in their demoralized condition they were powerless to stand against the remorseless and systematic assault of the Dallas veterans. Again and again the ball was caught and thrown the entire length of the court by one of the opposing guards, only to come swiftly and surely zig-zagging back to land at last in the Dallas goal.

When the time keepers' whistle announced the close of the contest, there was dead silence in the southern and western galleries, but the northern side of the big hall—the part occupied by the Dallas delegation—broke into tumultuous sound, and roar upon roar exultantly proclaimed the victory for the team from Dallas.

The only regret felt by the Dallas "rooters" was for the loss of the big pennant—the scarred and tattered battle flag that they had carried annually to Corvallis during four years. Just before the train pulled out of Corvallis, the pennant was in some way secured by the crowd that surrounded the depot. Dallas rallied eagerly to the rescue, and in the exciting combat for its possession, the flag was fairly torn to shreds. Some of these fragments are now in possession of Dallas people and some are left in Corvallis, so that it would be difficult to decide which city can claim the honors of possession.

The return trip to Dallas passed quickly and merrily and the train pulled into this city in the early hours of the morning, crowded with weary and heavy-eyed "rooters," all tired out but still ready to waken the sleeping town with their hoarse but whole-hearted shouts of victory.

Only three games now stand between the Dallas team and the championship of Oregon, and every effort will be made by the home team to keep its chain of victories absolutely unbroken throughout the present season.

The line-up Friday night was as follows:

Dallas	F	O. A. C.
Fenton	F	Rooper
Craven	F	Moore
Shaw	C	Foster
Savery	G	Horton
C. Shaw	G	Rooper

Livingston, of M. A. A. C., referee.

Program at Colosseum Rink.
Skating every afternoon and evening Thursday nights given up to club skaters. Fine show consisting of moving pictures and illustrated songs given with a complete change of program every Wednesday and Saturday night. Admission, skaters, 25 cents, spectators 10 cents.

Mrs. W. P. Cressy and sister, Miss Pearl Uglow, left Saturday for South Bend, after an extended visit at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abel Uglow.

DIES OF PARALYSIS

Mrs. O. H. Cobb Passes Away After Long and Painful Illness, Aged 63 Years.

Sabina T. Cobb, the wife of O. H. Cobb and an old and respected resident of Dallas, died Sunday night, aged 63 years, after a long illness, her death being caused by paralysis of the heart.

Mrs. Cobb was a daughter of John and Sarah McNeil, and was born in Meggs County, Ohio, September 25, 1844. From Ohio she moved to Sutton, Clay County, Nebraska, in 1873, and was married to O. H. Cobb, April 19, 1877. Mr. and Mrs. Cobb came to Oregon in 1890 and settled in Dallas, where they resided until the time of her death.

She joined the church at the age of 14 years, and was a member of the Evangelical Church until she came to Oregon. She then became an earnest and active member of the Methodist church, in which she remained until her death.

She is survived by a husband and four children, and a brother and sister, R. C. McNeil and Mrs. Allan Towns, both of Monmouth. The funeral was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and the body was taken to the Odd Fellows cemetery for burial.

Mrs. Cobb was a woman well known and loved among the people of Dallas and vicinity, and all will feel regret at her departure, and deep sympathy with the bereaved husband and relatives.

Local Oratorical Contest.

The local Oratorical Contest of the Prohibition Association of Dallas College will be held at the College Chapel, Friday night, February 28. Three contestants are entered and the program promises to be very interesting. Elmer Barnhart will speak on "The Saloon and the Supreme Court," Miss Lillian McVicker, winner of second place in the state contest last year, will have the subject, "My Country Shall Be Pure," and Lester Barnhart will speak on "The Social Wine-glass." In the musical part of the program will be a solo by Professor H. H. Dunkelberger, a duett by Misses Winnie Kelly and Allice Grant, and selections by the Philadelphia Quartette. The judges are Mrs. F. H. Morrison, Miss Elizabeth Young, and the Rev. M. J. Ballantyne.

From School to Work.

The Oregon State Normal opened last Monday with an encouraging outlook for the coming semester. The registration has been increased by a large number of new students and more are expected by the end of the week. Those just graduated from the school have gone directly into the field as teachers. Miss Grace Whitehouse is located at Independence, Miss Mabel Muldrich has gone to Grant County, Adrian Owen to Falls City, Miss Dora Murdock to LaGrande, Miss Mae Tracer to Elkins, Miss Anna Godbersen to Mosier, Miss Esther Fisher to Ione, while Chester Day will teach in Polk County.

Will Engage in Dairying.

A. B. Morgan will get full possession of the Gilbert & Patterson farm near Lincoln, Polk county, Oregon, on April 1, having purchased it last fall. This fine farm of 357 acres has been the home of the Gilbert & Patterson herd of Hereford cattle but Mr. Morgan is disposing of them and will turn his attention to dairying, believing that more money can be made with the dairy cow than with beef cattle in the Willamette valley. He will start in with a grade Jersey herd and perhaps a few registered ones, but intends eventually to have an all-registered herd.—Pacific Homestead.

"Old Arkansas," played at the Woodman Hall last night, was well attended and won from all who were present the hearty appreciation it deserved. The play is frankly melodramatic, with all the attendant features of train robbery, holdups, murder and much blazing of blank cartridges, but it was finely staged despite the cramped space afforded in the Woodman Hall, and each member of the cast proved to be an actor of no mean ability. They infused into the characters and into the play a delightful element of naturalness that constrained one to forgive and forget the ear splitting bang of the pistol shots, and the acrid cloud of powder smoke that oozed out over the footlights.

At the meeting of the stockholders in the Dallas Cannery Company, held at the Court House yesterday afternoon, the following directors were chosen: G. W. Myer, president; J. B. Nunn, vice-president; H. G. Campbell, secretary and treasurer; Henry Voth, W. M. Elliott, Dee Dunn and David Peters. Several locations for the new cannery building have been offered by property owners of this city, and work will be commenced as soon as a suitable site has been determined upon.

The sermon delivered at the Christian Church, Sunday afternoon, by the Rev. J. P. Conder, was well attended and highly appreciated. Mr. Conder will continue his series of revival services during the present week.

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